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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
(Office Action Mailed November 14, 2000)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, DC 20231

SIR:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in complete response to the Final Office Action mailed November 14, 2001, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. Presented in this paper are amendments to the claims that place the same in condition for allowance, and remarks that fully and completely respond to the Examiner's rejections of the claims. Entry of this paper and the amendments presented herein into the official files pertaining to the above-titled U.S. patent application is earnestly solicited as is allowance of the pending claims and the grant of a U.S. Patent.

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Despite Applicant's two (2) attempts to have the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) correct its records pertaining to correspondence in the instant patent application, the USPTO has failed to correct its records to ensure proper delivery and receipt of official correspondence including the instant Final Office Action. As such, the instant Office Action was mailed to Applicant's representative's old correspondence address and then apparently lost by the U.S. Postal Service. Attempts to contact the Examiner via telephonic message have been unsuccessful. As such, Applicant's representative has filed this paper in response to the instant Final Office Action and hereby respectfully requests the Examiner to re-set the date for response to a date making this submission as timely filed. And, since the Applicant has paid appropriate extension of time fees (two-months) in connection with this filing, the Applicant will seek a refund of such fees paid. It is earnestly requested that the Examiner ensure that all future correspondence in the instant patent application is properly sent to Applicant's Representative's new correspondence address identified at the end of this paper. For purposes of clarity, the new correspondence address is restated here as follows:

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